

**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**

Docket No.
15636 (PC10947A-US)

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Dated: **October 31, 2002**

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This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of May 31, 2002 in the above-identified application.

☐ One month ☒ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

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The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	39 -	21 =	18	x	\$18.00	\$324.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	3 -	3 =	0	x	\$84.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT						\$324.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME						\$400.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME						\$724.00